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—WE ARE FOR—
HIRAM W. JOHNSON
For United States Senator

WILLIAM D. STEPHENS
For Governor of California

CHARLES A. SHURTLEFF
and
FRANK H. KERRIGAN
For Associate Justice Supreme Court

INDORSES GOVERNOR STEPHENS

Strong indorsement of Governor William D. Stephens' candidacy for re-election is voiced by City Manager Clyde L. Seavey in a statement denouncing "the campaign of misrepresentation which has been carried on by reactionary interests with a view of discrediting the governor through false charges of extravagance in state government."

Seavey, who was formerly a member of the state board of control, assisted in drawing up the state budget for the present biennium, and his conclusions are based on personal knowledge of state expenditures gained while he was in active charge of the division of budget and accounts.

In his statement indorsing Governor Stephens' candidacy, Seavey declared that more than 50 per cent of all state appropriations for the years 1921 and 1922 is set aside for educational purposes. A total of \$35,290,939 of all educational disbursements is a fixed charge on the income of the state and can not be approved or disapproved by the governor, the city manager affirmed.

Seavey's statement follows: "Because of the campaign of misrepresentation which has been carried on by reactionary interests with a view of discrediting the governor through false charges of extravagance in state government, I wish to express my hearty indorsement of Governor Stephens' candidacy for re-election and to set forth a few facts relative to expenditures which I stated while a member of the state board of control.

"The extravagant smoke screen which has been thrown out for the purpose of deceiving California voters reminds me of the old adage that 'figures don't lie, but liars do figure.' It would appear from recent statements coming from the ranks of the Better American Federation and allied interests that their statisticians have been busily engaged in twisting figures to suit their own cause.

"Coming to a discussion of the state budget, it might be well to state first that it amounts to \$88,202,282 for the present two year period. I make this statement of fact because it has been variously charged that the budget was \$51,000,000 or \$52,000,000 according to the fancy of those making the charges.

"Next it should be stated that exclusive of the department of public works, the educational department and constructive activities, the operating expenses of the entire state government, including state commissions, institutions, departments and bureaus, are covered for the present year by an expenditure of \$10,862,968.

"It is also worthy of note that more than 50 per cent of all state appropriations for the present biennium is allocated for educational purposes and \$35,290,939 of all educational disbursements is a fixed charge on the income of the state and can not be approved or disapproved of the governor.

"Of the \$88,202,282 appropriated for the two year period, a total of \$46,189,666 has been set aside for the administration of public instruction. This amounts to 51.2 per cent of the entire state appropriation, and I am firm in my belief that this money is well spent because experience and observation teaches us that education will do more to banish crime, improve citizenship and reduce delinquency among minors than any other agency.

The people of the state of California believe that it is better to pay for the upkeep of schools today than for the maintenance of prisons and reform schools tomorrow. They have declared that belief by going to the polls repeatedly and voting additional money for school work.

SANTA CLARA APRICOTS

California enterprise again accomplished the seemingly impossible when Congressman A. M. Free of San Jose on behalf of the apricot growers of the Santa Clara valley, presented to President Harding and Secretary of Commerce Hoover boxes of fresh apricots picked from a 70-year-old tree near Mountain View, California.

These favored apricots were the first to travel from California to the Atlantic coast in the form of ripe fruit from the trees. Their voyage was made possible by the progressive spirit of the Growers' Distributing and Pre-cooling Company of Mountain View, who have installed a pre-cooling plant from which fruit ripened under the sunny

skies of California can be placed on the eastern market with its juices and flavor fully developed and its freshness unimpaired.

They were part of a shipment which also included figs and berries and which arrived in New York on July 20. The entire shipment was well received in the New York market, the apricots selling at from \$2.50 to \$3.25 per ton. The shipment was accompanied by two experts from the department of agriculture who took the temperature of the car every hour during the trip.

Upon reaching New York the two boxes intended for the president and Secretary Hoover were sent to Washington to Congressman Free, who received them on the afternoon of July 22. When opened in Washington, the fruit was in perfect condition, its rusty surface unmarred by imperfections or bruises. Secretary Hoover was particularly interested in the fruit because it was grown near his own California home.

GREAT BUSINESS PROSPERITY DURING STEPHENS' TERM

Proof that corporate business in California is growing by almost unbelievable bounds during the last several years was submitted today in a report to Governor William D. Stephens by Edwin M. Daugherty, state commissioner of corporations.

The report shows that the total of securities including stocks and bonds authorized to be sold and issued by the department during 1921 was \$667,425,200.

In 1917, the total authorized to be sold and issued was \$329,110,150. Thus, the increase for 1921 over 1917 was \$338,315,050, or more than 100 per cent.

These figures are significant, according to Commissioner Daugherty, in that they prove conclusively that the corporations of California have increased their business activities tremendously during the period covered by the administration of Governor Stephens.

"I attribute this extraordinary showing," he said, "to the intrinsic prosperity of California due to the constructive administration of Governor Stephens."

Other figures submitted to the Governor by Commissioner Daugherty show that the increases in corporate business in California have been amounting higher and higher each year with the exception of 1918—the big war year, when the activities of new corporate enterprises were discouraged by the Federal government.

Daugherty's report included the following figures for the entire period from 1917 to and including 1921:

1917	\$292,110,150
1918	218,218,077
1919	374,324,930
1920	655,687,592
1921	667,425,200

SHOULD STUDY THIS ACT

If every voter in California would take the time to read carefully the so-called water and power act, a constitutional amendment that would place the control of the water and power resources of the state in the hands of five men empowered to expend \$50,000,000 of the people's money in playing with those resources, there could be no doubt of its overwhelming defeat at the polls next November.

The amendment would trevitably mortgage all the property in the state for \$50,000,000—possibly more. California is already overburdened with debt, but this "act" would increase our debt six times. California is already overburdened with taxes, but this "act" would add \$25,000,000 a year in bond interest alone to the tax bill which the people would have to pay, either indirectly as rates, or directly as taxes.

Advocates of the proposed amendment say it would work out well. They are guessing, and guessing blindly. But even if it did accomplish all that its proponents claim for it, it would not benefit one bit the people of California, whose already hydro-electric power is more plentiful and cheaper than anywhere else in the world.

Against the remote possibility of breaking even—of gaining absolutely nothing—is the tremendous risk of losing heavily. This risk is not lessened but rather increased by the manner in which the "act" proposes to have administered the \$50,000,000 credit that it invites the people of the state to grant.

This huge sum would be controlled entirely by a board of five men, whom the people could not select and in whose operations they would have no voice. This board could issue bonds in any amounts and for any purposes it desired. It could hire as many employees as it wished, without limit as to salary and without the necessity of civil service regulations. It could—and it certainly would—build up within a short time a powerful political machine that would make California no longer a state, but a people subject to the whims of an all powerful autocratic political machine.

The blind half-billion dollar bond issue, the certainty of increased tax burdens and the certainty of political manipulation—these three things alone are enough to condemn the gigantic experiment known as the water and power "act."

JUDGE CURTIS D. WILBUR

Associate Justice Curtis D. Wilbur of the supreme court of California is a candidate for the position of chief justice of that august body. Judge Wilbur should be elected, as the election would be but a promotion for a man who has served his state well and faithfully. His training has been such that he will make an ideal presiding justice.

Judge Wilbur made some suggestions to the bar association which is now in session in San Francisco which are worthy of more than passing notice. He has suggested that

judges be appointed instead of being elected. This procedure would insure to the people an absolutely impartial judiciary. Not all sections of the country are favored as San Mateo county is, where year after year we can have a just judge returned to office without fear of opposition. In fact, the present position of the judiciary is merely a political position where the incumbent has to do politics to keep himself solid with the people. If the judge were appointed for life or good behavior we could be assured of an absolutely safe conduct of justice.

Another proposition Judge Wilbur has put forth is that of having a majority verdict carry conviction or acquittal in a criminal case. It does not require a unanimous verdict in a civil action, so it should not be required in a criminal matter. There have been too many cases carried through two or three trials, which cost money and annoyance, that would have been settled at the first trial had a majority verdict been allowed. We have in mind a case that has just been tried in Los Angeles where a woman was charged with having killed a man. He is, however, entitled to ask the women of California to judge him by what he has done, not by what his enemies say of him, and to defend him against the sneers and slurs of his opponents when they make, respecting his work for women and children, statements that the women of California know to be false.

It is not too much to say that Hiram W. Johnson's administration as governor made women and children in California free, safe and secure. It altered radically the law's point of view regarding them. The story of California's thoroughgoing experiment with progressive and social ideas while Hiram Johnson was governor is the most vital one in the chronicle of the states.

Senator Johnson does not assert any claim to gratitude or reward for what he has accomplished. He is, however, entitled to ask the women of California to judge him by what he has done, not by what his enemies say of him, and to defend him against the sneers and slurs of his opponents when they make, respecting his work for women and children, statements that the women of California know to be false.

Men in public life may be more truly judged by deeds than by words. Let the women of California reflect on what Hiram Johnson has accomplished for them and for their children and measure it with what his opponents and defamers have done.

JOHNSON HAS SUPPORT

In his fight for re-election Senator Hiram W. Johnson has the whole hearted support of disabled veterans, according to W. Huppert of San Francisco, former organizer of the disabled veterans. Huppert served overseas in Company D, 2d engineers, first division, and later was transferred to the 87th division. Speaking of the attitude of the disabled veterans, Huppert said:

"Senator Johnson has stood by us in every effort made in our behalf. He has given his personal attention to all the cases we have taken up with him with respect to training and compensation. He has been faithful and loyal to us all the time. There are 20,000 disabled veterans in California and they know Senator Johnson as their friend. They know he has been on the job all the time and they will prove their appreciation on election day."

FRANK L. EKSWARD

August 29 will soon be here. On that day the people of this county will exercise their prerogative as American citizens and elect those who will represent them in the different departments of the county and state government.

Frank L. Eksward, assemblyman from this district, who is a candidate for re-election, should be returned to office. Mr. Eksward knows every member of the legislature. His experience has taught him how to put things across which will benefit his constituents. He will see that San Mateo county remains San Mateo county and is not absorbed by its neighbors. The San Mateo county central committee has indorsed him. Vote for Frank L. Eksward for assemblyman.

SOME IMPRESSIONS

In the pre-Volstead days before the 15th amendment became a potent factor in disregard for law, an election in San Mateo county was usually a very exciting affair. There were as a rule two to three or four candidates for each and every office. As one of our friends remarked, "Them was the days." We can remember the political meetings, bonfires on the corners, Bill Bennett or Dan Ford shot off huge charges of powder under their anvils and half the town got drunk. Today you would hardly know there is to be an election. The people are satisfied with their officers. They believe they are efficient and are putting them back in office. There are no parades, no torchlight processions, no anvils. We wonder how much the 18th amendment is responsible for this condition.

TO JUDGE CONTENT

Franklin Swart, district attorney of San Mateo county, and Frank K. Towne, president of the Peninsula Bureau of Chambers of Commerce and Civic Organizations, have been named to serve as judges in the contest now being conducted by the San Francisco Chronicle for a solution of the problem of the peninsula's road congestion. These two prominent peninsula residents will serve with Richard J. Welch, the San Francisco supervisor.

The contest closed Saturday and the suggestions will be forwarded to the judges immediately. They are given authority to arrange their own method of arriving at the awards, which will consist of three cash prizes, \$25, \$15 and \$10, for the first, second and third best solutions of the traffic problem.

HAN MATEO HAS TWO FIRES IN ONE DAY

The worst fire the San Mateo business district has had in 12 years broke out shortly after 6 o'clock on Sunday morning in the basement of Levy Bros. department store, Second and A street, and it burned for four hours before the San Mateo and Hillsborough departments, aided by Battalion Chief Curran of San Francisco, had the blaze under control. An estimate of the loss to stock, building and fixtures is placed at \$75,000. With the entire basement a black ruin and the main salesroom on the ground floor in a disheveled condition, San Mateo county's largest retail establishment suspended counter trade until such time as workmen can straighten out conditions. Insurance carried by the burned out firm amounts to \$125,000 on stock and \$20,000 on building and fixtures.

Firemen succeeded in extinguishing the Pantages store basement blaze at 1:50 o'clock Monday. A second blaze broke out after the firemen and left the basement and was discovered in time by John Pantages, proprietor of the store. Damage to building and stock is estimated at \$5,000.

AUTOMOBILES CRASH

At the noon hour Saturday serious injuries were narrowly averted when two automobiles crashed at the corner of Webster street and Broadway. Miss Florence Boggs, executive secretary of the San Mateo county social service commission, received a slight cut on her arm and Archie Maybury, driver of the other car, was uninjured.

According to reports, Miss Boggs left her office in the court house and drove south on Webster. After she had passed the center of the intersection of the two streets the rear end of her machine was struck by a car driven by Maybury, an employee of the Union Oil Company. Both cars were badly damaged, that of Miss Boggs being carried over to the curb and two wheels smashing in and a broken windshield sending broken glass in every direction.

STEALS AIRPLANE

Last week a thief stole J. C. Johnston's airplane from Yarrow Field, Benford, and flew away in it. In spite of Johnston's precaution to remove certain parts of the plane in order to prevent theft, the ingenious crook supplied the missing parts and made a safe getaway. Johnston has sent out a radio appeal to all aviators to watch for the stolen machine, but no trace has been found. He says this shows that airplane thieves are going to be bigger pests than the automobile stealers, whose activities have been curtailed somewhat by the registration law.

SEEK ORDER FOR LICENSE

S. Gershenson and M. Friedman, who state that they have no regular place of business and who have been refused a permit to peddle wares in the limits of San Mateo county by the board of supervisors, through Attorney J. J. Bullock Monday filed a petition in the superior court for a writ of mandamus directed against County Assessor A. McSweeney requiring him to issue to them the necessary license. McSweeney has refused to issue the license without the board's permit and upon attempting to peddle their wares the petitioners were arrested in Daly City by Constable S. A. Landini. The two traveling merchants allege that they are vendors of dry goods, notions, ladies' and gent's furnishings and that they are entitled to a license under the provisions of county ordinance No. 156.

Judge Buck Moday signed a writ returnable in the superior court on Thursday, August 17, at which time the matter will be determined.

RUNNYMEDE HOME BURNS

Fire, believed to have been caused by crossed wires, Monday afternoon destroyed the J. F. Collins home on the Bay Road. The loss was partially covered by insurance. The flames were first seen from the roof by a passing motorist, who notified the Collins family. Alarms were sent in to the Palo Alto and Menlo Park fire departments and to the Weeks ranch, where fire fighting chemicals are kept. By the time aid arrived, however, the blaze was beyond control. Furniture from the lower floor was saved and the adjoining tank house was uninjured. The Collins home was an old ranch house which Collins bought when he moved to Runnymede and remodeled.

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TAKES STRAW VOTE

A Times-Gazette representative took a straw vote in the three largest cities of San Mateo county during the week with the following result: Burlingame—Johnson 27, Moore 75; Stephens 278, Richardson 74; San Mateo—Johnson 302, Moore 66; Stephens 300, Richardson 75; Redwood City—Johnson 199.

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1907	108,529	46,579	5,377	—	160,485
1908	124,347	56,590	5,606	—	186,543
1909	131,361	64,367	6,233	—	201,961
1910	142,075	73,597	6,564	—	222,236
1911	155,860	90,750	6,847	—	253,457
1912	181,904	105,446	7,283	157	294,910
1913	198,234	120,329	7,342	240	326,245
1914	210,656	136,961	8,447	305	356,369
1915	223,038	156,521	9,147	353	389,109
1916	226,936	169,483	9,823	388	406,630
1917	224,887	184,484	11,569	415	421,355
1918	246,956	199,412	12,394	461	459,223
1919	259,327	214,813	12,934	461	487,535
1920	274,228	231,526	15,899	433	522,086
1921	289,224	273,169	15,548	456	578,397
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MENLO PARK NEWS

The Ford selling agency for Menlo Park was secured by C. F. Blinger of the Fremont Garage. The great reduction in price of Ford machines has received an impetus of sales, necessitating new agencies, and it is a noticeable fact of daily occurrence many Ford sales are made. The Ford agencies also have the higher price machine, the Lincoln, in connection.

With offices in San Francisco, 1515 Montgomery street, the J. H. Sullivan Realty Company is located in the center of the real estate district. With their holdings of Alhambra Acres for choice home sites of from one to five acres, many sales are already made, with more reservations to hear from. This tract along with other property in Menlo Park and Fair Oaks keeps this new firm busy with penicils aces.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Lowery, formerly Mrs. Hopkins Taylor, gave a dinner Wednesday night at her home at Menlo Park and had for guests Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Templeton Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Filer, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Latham McMullin, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hamilton, Mrs. Roger Lapham, Mrs. Frederick Mills of New York and Cheever Cowdin.

The Bear Gulch Water Company through its efficient superintendent, George E. Britton, has installed the latest model of a public drinking fountain on the corner of Santa Cruz avenue and the state highway. This attractive public convenience should appeal to our citizens, regardless of their views on the much debated Volstead act.

Lionel Nunn has returned from an adventurous trip to the Yosemite valley, where he camped out with a chum. While climbing the trail one morning they encountered two brown bears coming down the path. On seeing them the bears doubled up and rolled down the embankment for several hundred feet. It is safe to say the young men were as delighted in separating themselves from the bears as the bears were to get away from the visitors to the valley. The happiness was mutual.

Last Saturday night the old jail building on the property of J. H. O'Keefe on Oak Grove avenue was destroyed by fire. The structure was erected many years ago by the supervisors to imprison misdemeanors. It has been unoccupied for years. The origin of the fire is unknown. The fire department was on hand promptly and succeeded in saving the adjoining buildings.

Rev. Richard Hammond, a former assistant pastor of the Church of the Nativity here, has been appointed by Archbishop E. J. Hanna as assistant pastor of St. Joseph's church, Alameda. Father Hammond was ordained St. Patrick's Seminary three years ago.

C. L. Kurtz, the popular druggist, went to a hospital in San Francisco on Thursday. He has been ill for some time and he is to undergo a course of treatment there. He contemplates returning to Menlo Park in two weeks.

Miss Isabel Jennings entertained informally at luncheon at the Menlo Country Club Tuesday afternoon. Her guests were Madeline Harold Casey, Preston Leslie, Elmer Fenning, Mervin O'Neill and Clinton LeMontagne.

DEVELOPMENT PLEDGED

The Civic League of Improvement Clubs of San Francisco, after a round meeting held Tuesday in Native Sons' Hall, by an election sustained the recommendations of the nominating committee and endorsed a long list of candidates for both local and state offices.

The report of the nominating committee was presented by Arthur Joel, chairman, prominent San Francisco attorney. Joel was himself a resident of the peninsula for a time and fully realized the importance of the commercial development of this section. He reported that one of the principal questions upon which the candidates had been quizzed was the commercial development of the San Francisco peninsula and that every candidate endorsed was pledged to support the same. Another important pledge made by the candidates was the formation of highway districts whereby necessary avenues of communication may be opened down the peninsula, including bridging of the bay at a point below the city.

SAN MATEO WOMAN DIES

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Mary Coyle, who died at her home in San Mateo Wednesday, were held from the chapel of the J. G. McCarthy Company Friday morning. From the chapel the remains were taken to St. Matthew's Catholic church, where requiem high mass was celebrated. The interment was at St. John's cemetery.

Mrs. Coyle, who was a native of Ireland, is survived by two sons, J. L. Coyle and W. S. Coyle, and two daughters, Mrs. Kate Holland and Charlotte M. Coyle.

J. W. BRAND DIES

John Wesley Brand, father of Phil E. Brand of this city, passed away at his home in Glen Ellen last Friday night, following an illness of several years. The deceased, who was 70 years of age, held an important position at the state institution at Eldridge for some thirty years. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Leoma Brand, three sons and three daughters. All of the children were present at the funeral, which was held Sunday from the family residence in Glen Ellen and was one of the largest in the history of Sonoma county.

Carl Ralss and wife, who have been spending their vacation in Canada, will return today to their attractive home in Alhambra.

Miss Lauretta Harrington left on Thursday for Seattle to visit her aunt, Mrs. Lester. From there both will make a trip to the Canadian Rockies. Miss Harrington expects to be gone for a month.

About 50 Filipinos employed in the culinary department and diet kitchens of the base hospital were discharged on Thursday and their place filled by white men. It was said the Filipinos organized a strike for higher wages. The superintendent learned of the contemplated walkout and immediately discharged the whole crew.

Frank McElvann, the noted actor whose portrayal of Abraham Lincoln has made him famous, is a grandson of the late E. J. McElvann, who with Mr. Oliver erected the large gate here in 1854 and which was wrecked recently. The gate was the entrance to the big estate of the two men, which they named Menlo Park after their estates in Ireland. McElvann as a young man often sang here.

The ladies of Trinity Episcopal church will hold a rummage sale at the parish hall, Menlo Park, on Friday afternoon, August 11. The sale will continue from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. John O'Neill, a pioneer of Menlo Park, is very ill at her home on Santa Cruz avenue and may not recover. She is advanced in years and for a long time has been an invalid.

Joseph Martin, father of Mrs. J. T. Lynch, passed away in New Orleans last Tuesday after a short illness. Mrs. Lynch was at the bedside of her father when he died. She will return to California next week.

Gustave Hasden, the popular clerk at the Little Green Door, is at Reno, Nev., on a visit to his mining property which he is developing. James Burke has taken his place temporarily at the Little Green Door.

Cornelius Carroll, a cousin of Mrs. J. H. O'Keefe, passed away in San Francisco the early part of the week. He was a member of the San Francisco police department for a great many years. Fifty policemen attended the funeral in uniform on Thursday. He was well liked and beloved by all who knew him.

A bid party was held in Native Sons' Hall Thursday night under the auspices of the Native Sons and Daughters. The members of both parlors became boys and girls again for the evening. The daughters appeared in short dresses with their hair hanging gracefully down their backs or made up in pretty bows looking just as attractive as when the wearers were youngsters, and that was some time ago. The Native Sons looked boyish in their knickerbockers with their books strapped over their backs and lunch pails in their hands. A school lunch was enjoyed by the youngsters. It was an enjoyable occasion, a reminder of the happy days of youth when all were carefree and pleasure seekers.

George Abel celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary by giving a party at his parents' home on Santa Cruz avenue Thursday. The little guests played games that are dear to the childish hearts and enjoyed delightful refreshments provided by George's fond mother.

LOOKOUT FOR CHECK PASSER

Warning to be on the lookout for a man representing himself to be Alfred Zingg, but whose true name is unknown, who is traveling through the country passing fictitious checks, has been received by the police from Sheriff H. V. Traflet of Santa Cruz. This man, according to information, stopped at Watsonville, got some blank checks belonging to a former business man named Alfred Zingg, and then started his bad check operations. From Watsonville the man is said to have gone to Fenton, stopping at the automobile camping grounds there. After getting acquainted he passed a check on a grocery store for \$25. While stopping at the camp he used the name of Zingg.

The alleged forger is said to be traveling in an old Ford car and stops at all auto camps on route. He is said to be accompanied by his wife, a short woman with red hair, and by a small child. He is tall and slender.

DR. DE MARVILLE TO WED

Residents of San Mateo county who have made their home here for more than ten years will remember Dr. H. B. de Marville, former chief surgeon at the French Hospital in San Francisco and for many years a resident of San Mateo, and will be interested in the news that he is soon to be married in London to Miss Marie Doucet, former schoolmate of his daughter.

Dr. de Marville resided in his own home in San Mateo Park for a number of years and prior to that had leased a house at Griffith and Santa Inez avenues. He was a most popular member of the local smart set, also a great favorite in San Francisco. He was married in San Francisco to Miss Cora Caduc, who died in San Mateo a year after the marriage, leaving behind her a baby daughter. Dr. de Marville has been in Paris for the past eight years, practicing medicine in the American quarter.

You may not be superstitious and still believe it is unlucky to break a bill. If you flirt with opportunity don't be misled if you are flitted by opportunity. If you are prepared for the worst it is surprising how often the best will happen.

If you live beyond your means everybody else knows it as soon as

Woodside Chirps

Work is progressing rapidly at this end of the tunnel being driven through the hills for the Hetch Hetchy water system. A camp for the men has been established on the Spring Valley property and a large force of men is employed. Prior to the establishment of the camp, the men were brought out from Redwood City each morning in trucks and a cloud of dust along the Canyada road in the early hours of the morning marked the arrival of the crew. Now that the camp has been built, making such frequent travel unnecessary, the dust is getting a chance to settle but the surface of the road still shows the effect of the heavy traffic.

A truck load of workmen in the employ of a large contracting firm still makes the round trip daily to the Ormondale ranch where extensive building operations are in progress.

An automobile load of dyed-in-the wool easterners passed through here on Sunday last. As to their names and habitat we cannot speak, but they must have been easterners for their arms and automobile were filled with the bright autumn colored leaves of the poison oak. We can imagine their delight at finding the bright-hued leaves so early in the season but trust that they will not blame California too severely for the results of their enthusiasm.

Evelyn Vaughn, for many years the leading lady at the Alhambra in San Francisco and wife of Bert Lytell, whose fame has spread wide in motion pictures, spent the week-end with Mrs. Bradford Levitt. She has come up from her home in Hollywood to take the leading part in the play entitled "Fifty Years," now being rehearsed for the Playhouse Theater. Mr. Lytell is just completing the fitting of the screen version of that old popular romantic novel of early Virginia life "To Have and Have Not."

Solich Chamberlain and family have left for a vacation trip to the King's River Canyon. Connie Miller, who was injured several weeks ago in a collision with a truck, is at St. Mary's hospital in San Francisco making progress toward recovery although it will still be several months before he is able to leave the hospital.

Mrs. O. C. Smith has moved into her newly completed home in Toyon Knolls and the Wilson house in the same neighborhood is about ready for occupancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen of San Bruno have been visiting Harold Allen and wife at Little Forest farm.

Rev. Benjamin St. John announces an illustrated lecture at the church for Sunday night on the Coral Islands of the South Sea. This is one in a series of lectures that Mr. St. John has been giving in which the interest is equally divided between the views and the tales that accompany them. The views are thrown upon a large screen by a powerful lantern and are very clear, having been specially prepared and many of them colored. Among the talks already given are: China, Japan, Mexico, the Philippines and Alaska.

During the early spring certain vegetable seeds furnished by the government were distributed through the school to those pupils who would undertake to plant and maintain a garden and a prize was offered by the principal for the best results obtained. Some very fine specimens showing careful gardening have been returned to the school and the prize was awarded to John Volpiano, aged thirteen and a pupil in the eighth grade. It is planned to develop some of the larger possibilities of this work during the next planting season.

The ladies of Trinity Episcopal church, Menlo Park, will hold a rummage sale in the parish hall on Friday afternoon, August 11, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

AN IMPROVEMENT

The beautiful palm trees in the yard of the Redwood City Central School are being made more beautiful by trimming the dead fronds from the trunks. Some of them have grown to great heights, causing extra long ladders to be used in the operation.

RUMMAGE SALE

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ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday morning service with holy communion at 11. Sunday school closed until first Sunday in September.

PROGRAM FOR WEEK BEGINNING SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 1922

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Thursday August 10

Friday August 11

Saturday August 12

Sunday August 13

Monday August 14

Tuesday August 15

Wednesday August 16

Thursday August 17

Friday August 18

Saturday August 19

Sunday August 20

Monday August 21

Tuesday August 22

Wednesday August 23

Redwood Chips

C. J. Coburn of Pescadero was a local visitor Monday.

Henry Blomquist, the 14-year-old son of Herman Blomquist of Pescadero, is in Redwood City receiving medical treatment. Two weeks ago the boy was kicked on the knee by a cow. An abscess formed which threatened blood poisoning. He is now recovering and will soon be well. He was accompanied here by his mother and his sister, Miss Ada Blomquist.

Miss Louetta Millard left this morning for Sacramento to spend the rest of her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Grimmeinstein and their daughter report a very pleasant time this week in the Yosemite.

Several of the engineers of the state highway commission are in the city and are surveying several of the routes that may be followed by the east side highway. At present they are locating a route from Cotati to the southward as originally proposed. The plan to cross the bay at a point about 1 1/2 miles north of the Dumbarton bridge. It is to be hoped that they will definitely decide on a route soon, as the east highway is a vital necessity to this section.

Peter Gouzenes, the well known contractor of Loma Park, was a local visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Leslie Sabine, her son Leslie and daughter Florence were here from Alameda during the week visiting friends. Mrs. Sabine as Miss Leslie Hatch was one of the best known and most popular girls of Redwood City a number of years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stevens and their son Arthur were week end visitors from Petaluma, visiting Mr. Stevens' father at the Congregational parsonage.

Miss Pauline Hanson has returned from a pleasant vacation spent at Carmel.

Miss Marjorie Young has resumed her place in the district attorney's office after a two weeks' visit with friends in Eureka.

Mrs. Virginia Pohl is back on the job in the auditor's office. Mrs. Pohl enjoyed three weeks of camping around Lake Tahoe and enjoyed every moment of the time.

C. A. Anderson, head of the science department of the Modesto Junior college, visited Redwood City friends this week.

Miss Clara Locker spent the week end at Purisima visiting friends and former pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee and John, Jr., their small son, of Mt. Olivet, Ill., were here this week visiting Mrs. Lee's cousin, Mrs. W. H. Kelso.

Mrs. A. Bird has returned to her home on Roosevelt avenue after a two weeks' visit with the family of her son, Ethel Bird, in Alameda. On her return she was accompanied by her son and his family, who spent the week end here with relatives.

Mrs. Jessie Pinneston and her father, Adam Watt, old time residents of Redwood City, drove down from San Francisco Sunday and spent the day with friends here.

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DAMAGES ASKED FOR SMASH

A suit was filed Monday in the superior court by C. A. Carlini naming D. Nicoli and John Doe as defendants, in which damages amounting to \$650 are sought on account of damages to the plaintiff's automobile in a collision on Howard avenue and San Mateo drive on June 23.

Carlini alleges that he was driving his Texan car toward the highway on Howard avenue at a speed of not more than 12 miles an hour, when Nicoli in a Ford car, driving at a speed estimated at 35 miles an hour, crashed into him. The frame of his automobile was broken, the radiators smashed, running board demolished, etc., the cost for repairs being \$400. He also alleges the car has depreciated in value to the extent of \$250.

TONIC VALUE OF FRUITS

EARLY RECOGNIZED

The value of oranges, lemons, apples, pears and other fruits in the diet was known long before the reason of their effectiveness was understood. The so-called merchants' English ships to furnish each member of the crew with one ounce daily. The term "lime juice" is still used to describe the British sailing vessel, although recent studies have shown that lime juice is far less effective than lemon juice and that the fruit used aboard the vessels was in reality what is now known as the lemon.

BONE AS FERTILIZER

The use of bone as a fertilizer dates back to 1774, just prior to the Revolutionary War, and marks the beginning of the fertilizer industry, which has grown and expanded since that time until in 1914 over seven million tons of commercial fertilizer were sold in the United States alone.

A century earlier Brandt, a chemist of Hamburg, had separated phosphorus from bones, but at the beginning of their use as a fertilizer their value was not known or even suspected to be due to this element.

Various erroneous theories accounting for the material value of bone were advanced, but it remained for Liebig to announce to the world the correct explanation. Bone was first used in the county of Yorkshire, England, and some time later in Cheshire, where it was applied to worn-out pastures. So highly did the English value bone for use on the land that they imported large quantities from continental Europe and later from America. The importation reached such proportions that Liebig, became alarmed over the situation and wrote as follows: "England is robbing all other countries of the conditions of their fertility, already from the catamounts of Sicily has turned up battlefields of Leipzig, of Waterloo and of Crimea; already from the catamounts of Sicily has carried away the skeletons of many successive generations." Liebig's anxiety was perhaps justified at that time in view of the fact that the immense deposits of mineral phosphates had not yet been discovered.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

EQUALIZATION OF ASSESSMENT ROLL

Office of the Clerk of the Town of Redwood City.
Public notice is hereby given that in accordance with the general laws of the State of California and Ordinance No. 6 of the Town of Redwood City, the Assessment Roll of the Town of Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, for the fiscal year 1922-1923, has been completed and delivered to the clerk of said town and the clerk of the Board of Trustees of said town, and will be open for examination in my office in the Town Hall from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. of each day, Sundays excepted, and that the Board of Trustees of the Town of Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, will meet on the 14th day of August, 1922, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day and sit as a Board of Equalization to equalize assessments and will continue in session from day to day until all the returns of the Assessor have been received for correction of assessment of real estate, improvements and personal property are required to be furnished by oath and filed with the clerk.

Dated: July 31, 1922.
W. A. PRICE,
Clerk of the Town of Redwood City and Clerk of the Board of Trustees of said Town.

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NEW TEACHER FOR SEQUOIA

Miss Eva L. Abrams of Santa Cruz was named this week as teacher in the commercial department of Sequoia Union High School for the coming year. She is a graduate of Mills College and has had five years of business and two years of teaching experience. She is at present teaching at the summer school in the University of California.

SKYLINE BOULEVARD

A decision of the California state highway commission to reroute the proposed Skyline boulevard to follow the east side of the San Andreas and the Crystal Springs lakes, west of San Mateo, has been made public, according to reports from the headquarters of the commission in San Francisco. The decision of the commission was reached several weeks ago in conferences between officials of the commission. It is said the new route proposes to cross over the present roadway between the Crystal Springs lakes of the Spring Valley Company, following the present San Mateo-Halfmoon Bay road to the top of the ridge, where the road will again follow the Skyline boulevard as originally proposed. For many months it has been rumored that changes were contemplated in routing of the second unit of the road, extending from the Christian ranch near Colma toward San Mateo. Definite announcement as to the new route has remained unconfirmed, while the commission answered all inquiries with the information that the route was not yet established. It is said, at first information of the change came in the reports of Assistant City Engineer Healy of San Francisco that the second unit of construction would be submitted to bids and that the route would be to connect with the present Halfmoon Bay road east of the Crystal Springs reservoir. The second unit, for which bids are now being received, is approximately 15 miles in length. It is reported that the new route will be a main road which will be built when a man sees his finish he hardly ever believes it.

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Wanted—Men or women to take orders for genuine guaranteed hosiery for men, women and children. Eliminate middle man. \$10 a week full time, 30 hour spare time. Experience unnecessary. International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa.

Found—Auto license plate no. 62191. Owner can have same by calling at Times-Gazette office, 61 Broadway, and paying for this ad.

Face and Scalp Massage and beauty treatment done in your own home. Also hairdressing, manicuring, pedicuring, etc. Call Redwood 214M.

For Sale—Iron bed and mattress, will sacrifice for \$15. Are practically new. 121 Monroe street.

Wanted--For Sale

For Rent--Etc.

For Sale—At confectionery and candy factory, excellent equipment, prosperous mining town, doing good business. \$2,500. 422 Market street, Redding, Cal.

For Sale—Gentle saddle horses, children's ponies and shetlands. Menlo Park Stables, Oak Grove Avenue, Menlo Park, phone Menlo 1409.

For Rent—Large, roomy garage, with room for two machines. Equipped with electric lights. Apply 415 East Hopkins Avenue, Redwood City 31.

For Sale—Ford Sedan, starter, deming, good tires, car completely overhauled, condition guaranteed. Must sell quickly. \$250 cash. J. M. Powers, San Carlos.

For Sale—Hungarian pony, light brown color; strayed from Menlo Park; may be on Middlefield road. If found notify William J. Tooley, Menlo Park, phone Menlo 673V.

For Sale—Ford Sedan starter, deming, good tires, motor, battery, generator fine condition. \$250 cash, including 13x35 foot canvas. J. M. Powers, Cypress and Elm, San Carlos.

For Sale—Gentle single barrel Stevens shotgun, automatic ejector, perfect condition. \$45. Also large, almost new wardrobe trunk, \$18. J. M. Powers, San Carlos.

For Sale—In perfect condition, one Ruid heater, small 1 Peerless heater,